BILL	TITLE/SUMMARY	SPONSOR	SUPPORTED (Per Bill Reports)	HOUSE	SENATE
SB 5145	Health technology clinical committee (HTCC). Requires at least one member of the HTCC be appointed by the Washington state medical association or the Washington state osteopathic medical association. And any rotating clinical experts selected to advise the HTCC must be nonvoting members.		Medical technology companies.	97-0-1	48-0-1
SB 5265	Public funds/reciprocal deposits. Authorizes public funds to be deposited in an out-of-state institution, subject to requirements including that the public funds are initially deposited in an in-state public depositary and that the in-state public depositary receive an equal or greater deposit of funds on the same day the public funds are transferred to the out-of-state institution for deposit.	Benton	Community Bankers of WA; Deposit placement services	97-0-1	49-0
SB 5458	Health district banking. Authorizes a health district (district) to act as custodian of funds, keep records of receipts and disbursements, and draw, honor, and pay all warrants and checks with the approval of the district board. Prohibits a county from charging for certain services it provides to a district that the district is authorized but chooses not to perform.	Angel	WA State Assoc. of Local Public Health Officials	92-5-1	48-0-1
SB 5549	Pharmacy assistants. Requires the Pharmacy Quality Assurance Commission to adopt rules to provide for the registration of pharmacy assistants at a fee determined by the Department of Health. Allows the Commission to take disciplinary action against the registration of a pharmacy assistant upon proof of certain actions.	Jayapal	Department of Health Request Legislation	56-41-1	47-2
SB 5767	Local gov't treasuries. Modifies provisions relating to a county treasurer's (treasurer) authority to accept electronic payments and charge transaction processing costs, including authorizing treasurers to absorb fees associated with electronic payments for taxes, and interest and penalties associated with taxes. Modifies provisions that govern a local government's issuance of duplicate instruments evidencing indebtedness when one is lost or destroyed.	Cleveland	County Treasurers Association	97-0-1	49-0

SB 6148	Storage/personal property. Permits the owner of a self-service storage facility to tow any vehicle, boat, trailer, recreational vehicle, or camper in lieu of sale.	Warnick	WA Self Storage Association	97-0-1	46-0-3
SB 6162	Invasive species council. Changes the expiration date of the Washington State Invasive Species Council and the Washington State Invasive Species Council Account from June 30, 2017, to June 30, 2022.	Honeyford	Recreation and Conservation Office Request Legislation; WA Water Resources Assoc; Stillaguamish Tribe; Nature Conservatory; Avista; PSE	96-1-1	49-0
SB 6170	Retirement information disclosure. Exempts from public disclosure investment information in private funds held by a city retirement board, to the extent disclosure could result in financial loss to the retirement fund or to the provider of the information.	Roach	Cities	97-0-1	47-0-2
SB 6177	Marijuana research licenses. Changes entity that reviews/approves marijuana research license from Life Sciences Discovery Fund Authority to a scientific reviewer designated by the Liquor and Cannabis Board. In 2015 the Legislature transferred \$62 million from the LSDFA's budget to the State General Fund and prohibited the LSDFA from making any grants after July 1, 2015.	Rivers	Paralyzed Veterans of America; Battelle Memorial Institute	93-4-1	49-0
SB 6196	Energy site evaluation council. Modifies requirements pertaining to deposits and other payments submitted to the Energy Facility Site Evaluation Council for the costs of application processing, site inspections, and compliance monitoring.	McCoy	Utilities and Transportation Commission	93-4-1	48-1
SB 6206	Industrial hemp growing. Declares industrial hemp to be an agricultural product that may be grown, produced, processed, possessed, and exchanged in the state exclusively as part of an industrial hemp research program supervised by the Washington State Department of Agriculture (WSDA).	Hasegawa	Hemp Industries Association; Other cannabis stakeholders	97-0-1	48-1

SB 6220	Federal economic development funds. Requires the Department of Commerce (Department) to track federal economic development funds and annually provide funding information to the economic development committees of the Legislature. Also requires the Department to coordinate with federal and state public research facilities to leverage other economic development-related federal funding.	Brown	Association of WA Business	97-0-1	48-0-1
SB 6281	Uniform athlete agents act. Updates the Uniform Athlete Agents Act to reflect recent changes to the model act.	Fain	Uniform Law Commission Request Legislation; UW and WSU	94-3-1	48-0-1
SB 6284	Fire sprinkler systems. Prevents a water-sewer district from prohibiting the use of multipurpose fire sprinkler systems for single family homes or townhouses or requiring a separate water meter or backflow preventer for multipurpose fire sprinkler systems.	Takko	Washington Association of Building Officials	97-0-1	48-0-1
SB 6290	Apple commission. Changes the procedure for nominating candidates for unexpired terms on the Washington Apple Commission. Retains the current assessment for apples grown in Washington and packed as Washington apples, and makes changes to the method of determining such assessments.	Honeyford	WA Apple Commission Request Legislation; WA State Tree Fruit Association	97-0-1	49-0
SB 6326	Automobile facility records. Authorizes vehicle dealers and automotive repair facilities to maintain certain required records in electronic form if the records can be accessed by computer at the dealer or repair facility's place of business during the remainder of the record retention period.	King	WA Retail Association; WA State Auto Dealers	97-0-1	49-0

SB 6341	Cannabis producer services. Authorizes marijuana producers and processors to provide branded promotional items of nominal value and certain personal services to marijuana retailers, similar to the existing authorization for liquor industry members. Also authorizes marijuana producers, processors, and retailers to link to one another's Internet websites and produce brochures related to Washington tourism, similar to the existing authorization for liquor industry members.	Rivers	Cannabis producers, processors and retailers.	72-25-1	36-13
SB 6342	Private activity bond allocation. Adjusts the initial allocation of state tax-exempt private activity bond limit to give the housing category 42 percent of state limit.	Miloscia	Housing Finance Commission Request Legislation	93-4-1	48-0-1
SB 6354	Reverse transfer agreements. Requires the state universities, the regional universities, The Evergreen State College, and the State Board for Community and Technical Colleges to develop and adopt plans to facilitate reverse transfer policies by December 31, 2017. Defines students eligible for reverse transfer policies as those who transfer from a community or technical college to a four-year institution of higher education before attaining an associate degree, but after completing 60 quarter credits or more.	Liias	Council of Presidents; State Board of Community & Technical Colleges	97-0-1	49-0
SB 6398	Cultural foods. Requires the State Board of Health to consider scientific data regarding time-temperature safety standards for Asian rice-based noodles and Korean rice cakes. Provides definitions for the terms "Asian rice-based noodles" and "Korean rice cake."	Hasegawa	None	96-1-1	49-0
SB 6401	Secondary fish receivers. Contracts the requirement that secondary fish receivers must keep certain records regarding fish and shellfish either with the fish or shellfish or at their principal place of business, and specifies that the records may only be kept at the principal place of business if the fish or shellfish are no longer in the possession of the secondary fish receiver.	Rolfes	Department of Fish & Wildlife Request Legislation	96-0-2	48-0-1

SB 6466	Higher education disabled students. Requires the Council of Presidents to convene a work group to develop a plan for removing obstacles for students with disabilities transferring between institutions of higher education.	Habib	Higher education student associations	97-0-1	48-0-1
SB 6491	Apostille services. Authorizes the Secretary of State to attest to the authenticity of the signature of a public official within Washington or a notary public, with limited exceptions.	Pedersen	Secretary of State Request Legislation	95-2-1	49-0
SB 6498	Recovery sponsor privilege. Creates a testimonial privilege applicable in civil proceedings that prevents a person who acts as a sponsor in an alcohol or drug addiction recovery fellowship from testifying about communications made to him or her by a person he or she is sponsoring.	Fain	King County; Mason County Veteran Mentoring	94-3-1	49-0
SB 6569	Patient out-of-pocket costs. Creates the task force on high patient out-of-pocket costs.	Cleveland	Patient advocacy groups (e.g. bleeding disorder association); pharmacies	78-19-1	49-0
SB 6606	Wholesale vehicle dealers. Redefines "wholesale vehicle dealer, and requires a wholesale vehicle dealer's office facilities to be in a commercial building in the state with no more than two other licensed vehicle dealers in the same building.	King	Dealers Auto Auctions NW	91-6-1	47-2
SB 6633	Marine resources advisory council. Extends the Marine Resources Advisory Council's existence from 2017 until 2022.	Ranker	None	88-9-1	49-0